COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD HEARINGS March 13, 2012

Pursuant to Sections 45.1-361.9B and 45.1361.22.B of the Code of Virginia, the Virginia Gas and Oil Board held its scheduled monthly hearing commencing at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at the Russell County Government Conference Center, 139 Highland Drive, Lebanon, Virginia.

1. The board will receive public comments. No public comments were made.

2. The Board will hear a petition filed by Scott Sexton, Counsel for Big Vein Companies appealing the decision rendered by the Division of Gas and Oil Director for IFFC-24014, Unit D20SH, Application Number 18912. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3037.

The decision was up held by the Board.

3. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Cheryl Fields, Teresa Campbell and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 4, Unit 702835, Russell County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-98-0324-0642-03.

The petition was continued to April 2012.

4. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Troy W. Williams II, William Grant Williams and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 9, Unit VC-536244, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-09-1215-2648-01. The petition was approved.

5. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Don W. Ashworth and Cynthia L. Ashworth, Graham K. Tiller and Betty Tiller, Dr. Halbert E. Ashworth and Peggy Ashworth and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tracts 1, 3 and 4, Unit 501842, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-07-0417-1919-01.

The petition was approved.

6. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Hurley Ratliff (Life Estate) and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 2, Unit VC-537307, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-09-1020-2617-01.

The petition was approved.

7. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Charles Counts and Katherine Counts, Cheri Lyn Simoneko, Connie and Bill Godfrey, Nicole Lyn and Daniel M. Connolly, Nigel Counts (Heir of Madeline M. Counts) and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tracts 3 & 4, Unit VC-536087, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-06-0919-1716-01.

The petition was approved.

- A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Troy W. Williams II, William Grant Williams and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 2, Unit VC-3356, Dickenson County Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-98-0915-0683-01 The petition was approved.
- A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of George D. and Carol R. Smith and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 2, Unit VC-504509, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-01-0120-0986-03. The petition was approved.
- 10. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of George D. and Carol R. Smith and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tracts 5 & 9, Unit VC-503042, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-04-1214-1373-04.

The petition was approved.

11. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Hurley Ratliff (Life Estate) and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 1, Unit VC-536636, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-09-1117-2635-01.

The petition was approved.

12. A petition from EQT Production Company on behalf of Hurley Ratliff (Life Estate) and Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for disbursement of funds from escrow regarding Tract 1, Unit VC-536630, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-09-1117-2633-01.

The petition was approved.

13. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC for the disbursement of funds from escrow for a portion of Tract 3, Unit S-35, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-98-0915-0681-07.

The petition was approved with new plat to be furnished to the Board.

14. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC for the disbursement of funds from escrow for a portion of Tract 3 and 3C, Unit S-36, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-98-0324-0626-09.

The petition was approved.

15. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC for the disbursement of funds from escrow and authorization of direct payment of royalties from Tracts 1E, 2A and 2B, Unit AV-124, Russell County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-02-0820-1050-01. The petition was approved.

- 16. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC for the disbursement of funds from escrow and authorization of direct payment of royalties from Tracts 2C & 2D, Unit AV-125, Russell County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-02-0820-1051-01. The petition was approved.
- 17. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC for the disbursement of funds from escrow and authorization of direct payment of royalties from Tracts 1E, 2A and 2B, Unit AW-124, Russell County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-03-1118-1223-01.

The petition was approved.

18. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well 900007, Rock Lick District, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0221-3034. Continued from February. The petition was approved.

19. CNX Gas Company, LLC requested that Docket Item 10-0817-2779 for wells N79 and N79A be placed on the docket for correction of testimony and submission of exhibits.

The applicant submitted revised documents and the petition was approved.

20. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well 900090, Rock Lick District, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3039.

The petition was approved.

21. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well 900023, Sandlick District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3040.

The petition was approved.

22. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well V-530332, Ervinton District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3041.

The petition was approved.

23. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well 900035, Sandlick District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3042.

The petition was approved.

24. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well 900067, Prater District, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3043.

The petition was approved.

25. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for a well location exception for proposed well V-530334, Ervinton District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3044.
The petition was approved.

- 26. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for establishment of a drilling unit and pooling for a conventional well 900023, Sandlick District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3045. The petition was approved.
- 27. A petition from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, Inc. for establishment of a drilling unit and pooling for conventional well 900035, Sandlick District, Dickenson County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB-12-0313-3046. The petition was approved.
- 28. The Board will receive an update of Board and Division activities from staff.

 Staff updated board regarding the audit, asked permission to send out a letter asking all exhibits be dated and tract totals added. The Board approved.
- 29. The Board will review the February 2012 minutes for approval. The minutes were approved.

The hearing was adjourned.